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Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant acknowledges that the Examiner has stated that claims 12, 13, 16-29 are objected to, but would be allowable if rewritten to overcome cited claim objections. Applicant has addressed the claim objections and now believes the claims to be in condition for allowance.

Applicant also acknowledges that the Examiner has stated that claims 1, 5, 10, and 14 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph rejection set fourth in the office action. Applicant has amended the claims 1, 5, 10, and 14 to overcome the 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph rejection and believes the claims 1, 5, 10 and 14 to be in condition for allowance.

Claims 2-3, 6-9, 11, and 15 now depend from allowable claims and are also in condition for allowance.

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing discussion and analysis, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1-29 are in a condition for allowance, which such action is earnestly solicited.

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